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May 20, 2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action of May 18, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Atty Dkt. 1417-367 In re Patent Application of C# М# 변C/A.U. 1754 HARADA et al Examiner: Bos Serial No. 09/986,657 Filed: November 9, 2001 Date: May 20, 2004 SPHERICAL TETRAGONAL BARIUM TITANATE PARTICLES AND PROCESS Title: FOR PRODUCING THE SAME Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. □ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment minus highest number 5 \$ 0.00 (at least 20) = previously paid for 20 \$ 18.00 Х minus highest number Independent claims after amendment \$ 0.00 previously paid for (at least 3) =Х \$ 86.00 4 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$290.00 (ignore improper) \$ 0.00 Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$420.00/2 months; \$950.00/3 months) 0.00 Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 \$ 0.00 First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$770.00) \$ 0.00 ☐ Please enter the previously unentered . filed Submission attached Subtotal 0.00 \$ If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract -\$ 0.00 Applicant claims "small entity" status.

Statement filed herewith \$ 0.00 Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) \$ 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) 0.00 Other: TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED 0.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C. By Atty: Arthur R. Crawford, Reg. No. 25,327 Arlington, Virginia 22201-4714 Telephone: (703) 816-4000

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